--- RG-655 - 6 Cigars - Series “C” -1938 - *imperforate* - 22 x 28 mm. - scanned at 150% scale ---

The earliest recorded usage of **RG-655**, the orange-red six cigar Series “C”, by any of the manufacturers, is from “General Cigars”, Toronto, in the 3rd week of December 1946.

1AVA - 1st week of January 1947

1AVC - 1st week of July 1947

[RG-655]	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
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1947	1AVA	1BVA	1CVA	1AVB	1BVB	1CVB	1AVC	1BVC	---	1AVD	1BVD	1CVD
	---	---	2CVA	2AVB	2BVB	2CVB	2AVC	---	2CVC	2AVD	---	2CVD
	3AVA	3BVA	3CVA	---	3BVB	3CVB	3AVC	---	3CVC	3AVD	---	3CVD
	4AVA	---	4CVA	4AVB	4BVB	4CVB	4AVC	4BVC	---	4AVD	---	---
1948	---	1BAA	1CAA	---	1BAB	1CAB	---	1BAC	1CAC	1AAD	---	---
		---	---	2CAA	2AAB	2BAB	---	2BAC	2CAC	---	---	2DAD
	---	3BAA	---	3AAB	3BAB	---	3AAC	---	3CAC	---	---	---
	---	4BAA	---	4AAB	---	4CAB	---	---	4CAC	4AAD	---	---
1949	---	---	1CBA	---	---	1CBB	1ABC	1BBC	---	---	---	---
	2ABA	---	---	2ABB	2BBB	2CBB	---	2BBC	---	---	---	---
	3ABA	3BBA	---	---	3BBB	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
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NOTE: All of the black or red codes listed (e.g. **1ATC, 125, 4205** etc.) are found in the cancellation collection. Any codes highlighted in yellow (e.g. **3BBC**) were taken from eBay and ***are not*** in the collection.

The collection *does not contain* a copy of **RG-655** used by “General Cigars”, Toronto, coded with three or four digits in either blue or black ink. The Toronto Branch was closed prior to this time.

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